# CSWC Operational Period Summary 0600 April 19 2016 to 1800 April 19 2016



Gorman Incident, Los Angeles County

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# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Gorman Incident, Vegetation Fire, Gorman, Los Angeles County

Location: Northbound I-5 at Gorman Creek

Jurisdiction: SRA

Start Time: 04/19/16 at 1309 hours

Per the Cal OES FDO and CAL FIRE as of 1426 hours:

- 105 acres, grass and brush, 85% contained
- · Resources will remain overnight for mop up and patrol.
- · All CAL FIRE air and ground resources released.

#### Train Derailment, Tracy, San Joaquin County

- At 1402 hours on 04/19/16, Union Pacific Railroad advised the California state Warning Center (CSWC) of a single locomotive that derailed upright due to running over a derail devise.
- There were no injuries or hazmat releases due to this incident.
- The CSWC made notifications per SOP.

#### Los Coyotes Indian Reservation, San Diego County

As a result of rains and flash flooding on the Los Coyotes Indian Reservation in San Diego County, Mission #2016-Southern-22320 was approved to address the community life safety needs, road repair, and other critical concerns.

- US Army Corps of Engineers recommended installation of 5 (8'x12') steel plates to provide temporary road stability and improved access over the Los Coyotes Reservation's only life line road.
- On Saturday 04/16/16, Caltrans provided steel plates and safety signage.
- Stakeholders will continue to monitor the situation to provide long term solutions.
- Per the Cal OES Southern Duty Officer (SDO) BIA's Transportation Manager/Engineer site visit was scheduled for 04/18. Conference calls regarding long term road repair solutions are on hold pending the site visit findings.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## Twin Pines Manor Apartment Complex, Sunnyvale, Santa Clara County

On 04/15/16 an apartment fire occurred In the city of Saratoga, Santa Clara County.

- Sunnyvale Fire Department battled the two-alarm fire that resulted in two injuries and the displacement of several occupants.
- Per the Cal OES Coastal Duty Officer (CDO), there are no requests for assistance or unmet needs at this time.

Per the CDO, the entire building is currently red tagged pending city engineer inspection.

DHHS reports as of midnight 04/19/16 shelter count is 0. The shelter has been closed.

- Five of the shelter residents required assistance with AFN support. Provisions have been made to accommodate these needs.
- Out of 76 were occupied units, approximately 4-8 homes were destroyed. Some of the other units have water and smoke damage.
- · All residents remain evacuated due this facility having major electrical issues.
- This was a section 8 income based housing complex, many units had multiple families in one unit as occupants.
- A Red Cross Operations Management Team has been established.
- The City Fire and OES authorities met with the evacuated families over the weekend to execute a plan for brief access to the apartments to retrieve medications and some personal items. Only about 50% of the apartments are accessible, so preparations have been made to support the replacement of medications, eyeglasses, etc.
- Sunnyvale Community Services is on site and the Red Cross is providing direct financial assistance to displaced families to help meet immediate needs.
- All information to date was submitted to SBA to review. The landlord is refunding, 1/2 rents and security deposits.
- Owners are cooperating presently with some form of reimbursement and relocation assistance (1/2 month rent, deposit return, moving trucks).
- Cal EPA was present providing transportation moving residents belongings.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

#### **Weather of Concern**

#### **Northern California**

- A weak upper level disturbance will bring slight chances for showers Wednesday for the northern coastal range.
- These low pressure troughs will gradually cool temperatures through this weekend and produce a slight chance to chance for showers across Northern California Thursday night and Friday.

#### Southern California

- A slight cooling trend can be expected through Wednesday as high pressure weakens and onshore flow returns.
- Low clouds and fog with more significant cooling are slated for Thursday and Friday.
- A weak storm system is expected to move into Southern California by Friday bringing a chance of showers.

## **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\_bc\_cal.php

## Cal EOC Incident - 2014 Drought

• SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## <u>Preparedness Levels</u> National Preparedness Level 1

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

## Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

#### Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

#### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

# **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/



# **WEATHER**

## **WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:**

#### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

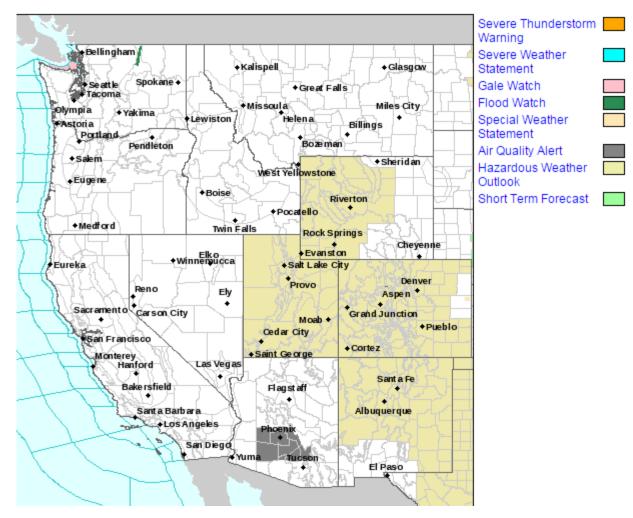
An unsettled weather pattern is beginning to take over, but high pressure will continue to dominate today for more unseasonably warm conditions. In spite of high cloudiness streaming across Northern California today, afternoon temperatures will again be mostly in the mid and upper 80s for the warmest inland valleys. Many inland areas will be around 15 degrees above seasonal normals. A low off the central California coast will also gradually move east and weaken today. This low will generate a small chance of some mountain showers or perhaps a few thunderstorms over the northern and eastern mountains very late this afternoon and overnight. Wednesday will be something of an in-between-weather-systems day and noticeably cooler by 5-7 degrees inland. After that, confidence in forecast details begins to drop sharply. For now, however, an off shore trough seems likely be approaching the coast Thursday and move ashore Friday. Some showers and a few thunderstorms will probably become possible across Northern California Friday into that evening. Rather light precipitation amounts are currently expected. Some showers may linger over the eastern mountains Saturday, then it appears Sunday and next Monday may be warmer and drier again with temperatures relatively near normal. Winds will generally be rather light through the 7 day period, southerly for a few days, then becoming NW to N over the weekend. Some moderately strong, gusty north winds may develop for a period Sunday night into Monday morning, but they appear likely to be short lived.

#### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

An omega blocking pattern will slowly begin to shift eastward over the next few days which will eventually allow much cooler and more humid weather to return later this week. However today, expect sunny and very warm conditions to continue. Highs will average 10-15 degrees above normal today with highs reaching the upper 80s to lower 90s in the warmest inland valleys of Southern California to the 60s in the mountains below 8,000 feet. Minimum RH will reach the 8-12% range across a wide area of the district below 4,000 feet for 4-6 hours this afternoon. Offshore pressure gradients are weaker this morning and winds should remain under 15 mph across most areas. Wednesday will mark the transition from offshore to onshore flow at the surface and some minor cooling will take place across coastal areas in the afternoon. The rest of the area will see little change in temperatures, wind and RH. On Thursday, a trailing weak upper level low which has been sitting off the coast during the past week will finally move through the area, bringing much cooler and humid weather back to the region. There will be considerable cloudiness Thursday through Saturday and a few showers will be possible near the higher terrain Friday afternoon into Saturday. Rainfall amounts look to remain under a quarter of an inch. Drier northwest flow will develop for Sunday and Monday. Long range models indicate a cool and dry system may move into the Great Basin early next week which will likely lead to a continuation of cool temperatures. It will likely turn breezy along the central coast and the deserts during the afternoon hours next week, but no further offshore winds are expected the next 7-10 days.



# STATE WEATHER MAP



# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

#### Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <a href="http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf">http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf</a>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.



# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## Cal EOC Incident - 2014 Drought

#### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 26 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 10 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tolowa Dee-ni' Nation (Del Norte), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County),
  Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus
  County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water
  District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District
  (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte
  Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



# Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.